

REMARKS

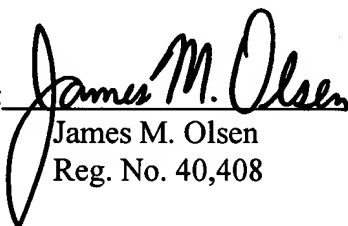
By this Preliminary Amendment, Applicants have amended the specification to list the government rights in the application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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